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WIRE-GLASS AS A FIREPROOF MATERIAL.

By T. C. HOADLEY.

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The public knows that wire-glass is often used as a protection against thieves, for this material, with wire netting embedded in its center, cannot be broken or cut noiselessly, or so an entrance is possible. Not everybody knows, though, that wire-glass is valued for its fireproof properties. Yet it is more often employed to stop fire than for any other purpose; as its use in elevator doors, partitions, windows, etc., shows.

Professor Woolson, the fireproof expert of Columbia University, has tested wire-glass up to 1,700 degrees of heat Fahrenheit, keeping it at this high temperature for half an hour at a time. At the first rush of heat the glass crackles, but the netting holds it together and flame cannot pass through. It will hold flame up to the melting point, which is different in various kinds of glass, some melting at 1,000 degrees and others standing 2,000 successfully. When a stream of water is turned on wire-glass that has melted almost to the running point, it immediately solidifies, so that it is a material well suited for elevator shafts, where a sudden rush of flame would crack ordinary glass and admit fire to all floors. Formerly wire-glass was confined to rough manufacturing buildings or rooms where its coarse texture was not objectionable in appearance. But now a fine polished plate glass with the wire netting inside is produced, and forms a pane of neat appearance and of transparency as satisfactory as that of plate.

The New York Building Department permits the use of wire-glass windows instead of iron shutters as a protection from possible conflagrations in adjoining premises, but where this is allowed the windows must be double. Iron shutters are an excellent protection against fires outside, but shutters are not as likely to be closed at night as windows. Windows of wire-glass are now fitted with thermostats which

cause them to close automatically on a sudden rise of temperature.

Iron and glass will keep out fire provided there are no goods or woodwork inside the building they are employed to protect, but as both radiate heat very freely they cannot be employed everywhere. The best fireproof shutter, it is said, is the old-fashioned wooden one, covered with tin. Such a shutter will not radiate heat, and in hot fires it has been found that the tin surface of the iron plate would melt and the wood inside char to a coal, yet the shutter holds together and not enough heat was radiated inside to set goods afire.

The object in modern fireproof construction is to so thoroughly abolish all draughts through a building that a fire starting in any place cannot spread. All elevator shafts are inclosed and made draught-proof. No spaces are permitted between walls or floors, even gas and water pipes being laid in solid beds of concrete. Theoretically the work of taking up such pipes for repairs would be troublesome, but architects say they seldom need repairs, being practically permanent. Wooden sleepers are also embedded in concrete and fireproof-wood floors nailed to them. Stairways are built of iron and steel in what are virtually great brick chimneys, cut off from the main building except for small doors. Persons once on such a stairway are safe, though the building be aflame. Doors in large factory buildings of the latest type have no locks, latches or handles nowadays, and swing freely both ways, so that no rush of people can ever jam them. Window-sashes and doors are made of light metal or metal-covered wood, the latter, called "kalamine," being lighter and neater than a metal door, and capable of some ornamentation.

According to underwriters' statistics the most useful piece of fire-fighting apparatus is what may be regarded as the oldest—the ordinary fire pail, and its companion, the fire barrel. The fire pail is cheap, it never gets out of order, everybody knows how to use it, and it puts a quick damper on a fire at the moment it is discovered. In dollars and

cents the amount of property that has been saved by the humble, unæsthetic fire pail runs to an aggregate value that makes the salvage of fire departments in great cities a trifle in comparison.



THE UNIVERSITY Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. of the University of Maine has recently elected officers for the coming year and at the meeting held Wednesday evening, April 10, the committees were announced for next year. The officers chosen were as follows: Daniel Chase, '08, of Baring, president; B. A. Chandler, '09, of New Gloucester, vice president; C. C. Johnson, '10, of Portland, secretary; I. M. Stover, '10, of Erwinna, Pa., treasurer.

One of the most important and at the same time one of the new committees appointed was the general advisory committee. This is composed of alumni of the university who have been and still are interested in the Y. M. C. A. work. They are to serve as advisors to the present society upon matters of more than ordinary importance and higher questions pertaining to its welfare will be referred to them. This committee is a new thing at Maine, although it has been of great benefit to several other college associations. The names of the committee are as follows: Prof. J. N. Hart, '85, of Orono, chairman; Rev. J. R. Boardman, '88, New York city; Rev. J. W. Hatch, '88, Belfast; George K. Huntington, '05, Indianapolis, Ind; M. R. Lovett, '06, Beverly, Mass; Raphael Sherman, '06, Rockland; Prof. F. L. Russell, '85, Orono.

The remaining committees are as follows:

Membership committee, D. Chase, '08, chairman; J. A. Gannett, '08; B. A. Chandler, '09; I. M. Stover, '10; R. W. Redman, '10.

Devotional committee, C. C. Johnson, '10, chairman; W. E. Wilbur, '08; E. B. Hinkley, '09; R. W. Tobey, '10; J. I. Travis, '10.

Bible Study committee, B. A. Chandler, '09, chairman; C. M. Weston, '08; J. Jacobs, '08; W. A. Carter, '09; R. W. Redman, '10.

Lecture committee, R. W. Redman, '10, chairman;

G. E. Torrey, '09; E. B. Hinkley, '09; D. Chase, '08; B. A. Chandler, '09.

Music committee, F. C. Richardson, '09, chairman; F. D. Knight, '09; D. C. Clements, '09; D. S. J. Smith, '09; G. T. Corning, '10.

Finance committee, I. M. Stover, '10, chairman; M. A. Sturtevant, '08; F. D. Knight, '09.

Northfield committee, D. Chase, '08, chairman; J. Kendregan, '08; F. C. Richardson, '08; J. A. Gannett, '08; F. M. A. Claffin, '07; W. E. Wilbur, '08; B. A. Chandler, '08.

Hand book committee, D. Chase, '08, chairman; J. A. Gannett, '08; D. S. Smith, '09; B. A. Chandler, '09; W. L. Emerson, '09; C. A. Porter, '10; R. W. Redman, '10; C. C. Johnson, '10; R. W. Tobey, '10; G. T. Corning, '10.

These last two committees are among the two most important appointed. All the colleges in the eastern section and taking as far south as Washington send delegates from their Y. M. C. A. to the conference which is held at Northfield, Mass., every year, Maine has always been represented by three or four men, but it is the idea this year to send a much larger number if the money can be raised as the showing from a university of this size should be better than that. Between ten and fifteen men will be sent this year, if possible to the conference which is held about the last of June or the first of July.

The University of Maine handbook which is published annually by the Y. M. C. A. of the university, is already under way, and from the extensive plans that are being made for it, the book promises to be by far the best one of its kind ever published here. The plan in getting it out so early is to have it ready so that copies may be sent during the summer to students that are planning to come to Maine. The book is full of valuable information in regard to the university, and it serves as a handy reference book all the year. More money than ever is to be laid out on this issue, and if it receives the support that it should, it will be one of the neatest Y. M. C. A. handbooks ever sent out.

Daniel Chase '08, president of the Y. M. C. A. left Orono Wednesday evening April 10, for Ithaca, N. Y., where he attended the Eastern Presidents' conference to be held there under the auspices of the Cornell association from April 11 to 14.

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SOPHOMORE HOP.

The annual sophomore hop of the University of Maine was held in the gymnasium Friday evening, April 12, and it was by far the most successful dance that has been given at the university this year. The members of the class of 1900 deserve to be complimented on the way things went off, for the whole affair went through without a hitch, and this sophomore hop is one that will be long remembered.

The large gynosium was nearly filled with people, yet it was not so crowded as to make dancing uncomfortable. Pullen's full orchestra furnished music and an order of 16 dances was enjoyed.

The gynosium was decorated with green and white bunting, these being the class colors; and a row of green lights was strung about the hall beneath the running track, making a very pretty effect. Long streamers of alternate green and white went from the center to all parts of the hall, and the overhead track was also neatly draped at both ends of the hall, two large 1900 banners formed a conspicuous part of the decorations.

A large part of the success of the affair is due to the efforts of the sophomore hop committee which consisted of Harry E. Sutton of Orono, chairman, Lewis F. Pike of Milton, N. H., and Frederick D. Knight of Limerick. The committee had worked faithfully for several weeks in preparation for the event and the result shows that they spared neither time nor money to make the dance a success. The dance orders were neat folders having the words "Sophomore Hop" and "1900" embossed on the front cover in green letters.

The reception was held from 8.30 until 9 o'clock and dancing began shortly after 9 o'clock, continuing until 1 o'clock.

Those on the receiving line were Hon. and Mrs. Henry Lord of Bangor, Dr. and Mrs. Merritt C. Fernald of Orono, and Joe W. Gerrity of Bangor, president of the class.

Much of the credit for the smooth way in which the affair was carried off should go to the floor manager, Harold P. Marsh of Bangor. Mr. Marsh with his efficient aids, succeeded in taking care of all the people, and saw that everyone had plenty of

dances. The aids for the evening were: James G. Scales, Arthur N. Hutchinson, Harold D. Haggett, Lawrence V. Jones, Thomas D. Austin, Guy C. French, Winfield A. Kimball, Henry L. Nash, Harry L. Farnham, T. Frank Shatney and Albert I. Berry.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Elizabeth A. Balentine, Mrs. Harry A. Chapman, Mrs. Harold S. Boardman, Mrs. John M. Oak, Mrs. Ralph K. Jones, Mrs. James N. Hart, Mrs. Nathaniel M. Jones, Mrs. Horace M. Estabrooke, Mrs. William D. Hurd, Mrs. Robert J. Sprague, Mrs. James F. Gerrity, Mrs. John R. Graham, Mrs. James F. Stevens, Mrs. William E. Walz, Mrs. Charles P. Webber and Mrs. William B. Pierce.



POTATO SCAB.

BULLETIN OF THE MAINE AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION.

Bulletin 141 of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, now being sent out discusses potato scab, a subject of extreme importance to potato growers.

The real cause of the scab is a minute vegetable parasite which is introduced into the soil by means of scabby seed tubers. Once in the soil the scab fungus may persist and be able to infect a crop even after a considerable period. Alkaline soil conditions favor while acid soils are unfavorable to scab. Stable manure, chip dirt, lime and wood ashes may increase scab because they tend to make the soil alkaline.

Great care should be taken to avoid infecting new land. The use of scabby seed is folly rather than economy. Only smooth tubers should be used for planting, and these should be disinfected by formalin or corrosive sublimate solution if the quantity to be treated is small. If a large amount of seed is to be treated formaldehyde gas generated by the use of potassium permanganate is recommended. The chemicals required are not expensive and should be obtained of any druggist. The process is simple and inexpensive.

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EDITORIAL.

With this issue, the present officers of the Board finish their work in connection with the CAMPUS, and in closing, a few words seem necessary.

First, we wish to thank all who have assisted in making the CAMPUS what it has been during the past year, yet we are among the first to realize that the CAMPUS is far from perfect and we hope that our failures may prove the means

of making the CAMPUS a greater success in the future.

We realize that one of the greatest needs is some system which will provide the Alumni with more interesting items each week, and already plans have been made which will provide at least one column of alumni notes each issue.

Second, we welcome the new Board and wish them the greatest possible success in their work.



CAMPUS BOARD ELECTION.

At a recent meeting of the CAMPUS Board, L. R. Lord, '08, was elected managing editor, and W. D. Trask, '08, was elected business manager. J. W. Gerrity, '09, was elected assistant business Manager.

C. Garland, '07, A. R. Lord '07 and E. J. Wilson, '07, resigned from the Board and W. W. Harmon, '10 and H. M. Woods, '10, were elected to the Board.

The new Board assumes charge of the next issue.



ROUND TABLE RECEPTION.

The monthly reception to the faculty and student body was given by the ladies of the Round Table in the new library building Tuesday afternoon from 4.30 to 6.00. A large number of guests were present and the hour was spent socially. This affair proves to be very popular and offers an excellent opportunity to the students for becoming better acquainted, both with the faculty and among themselves. The following committee was in charge of the arrangements: Mrs. J. N. Hart, Mrs. G. A. Drew, Mrs. A. C. Jewett, Mrs. F. L. Russell, Mrs. J. H. Huddilston, Mrs. C. D. Woods, assisted by Miss Balentine, Miss Tate, Miss Mansfield, Miss Aiken, Miss Bean, Miss Farnsworth, Miss Wakefield, Miss Estabrooke, Miss Haines, Miss Merrill, Miss Brown.

THERE ARE NO SELF-MADE MEN.

Pres. Tuttle told the members of the Boston & Maine Railroad Y. M. C. A. at their sixth annual banquet that there is no such thing as a self-made man. "Self-made man," he went on, "is the greatest nonsense ever talked. A self-made man, so-called, is merely a man who has seized opportunities for himself and by others for him."

Mr. Tuttle started out by stating the advantages of the Railroad Y. M. C. A., and said:

"You can't get a man's character and forge it into something better until you fortify his stomach. The first step from barbarism is good food. The second is better clothing; and the third is the association of human beings with each other. These places are the platforms from which ladders lead to better things, and you don't get better things in life without the common things intended to furnish you opportunities."

"The lesson of all this in a word is that it doesn't end with better food and companionship. Men who have succeeded knew that success was worth having. You won't find five men of position in the railroad who have come to that position through inheritance. There is everything in the world for a man who strives for it. When he understands that what he hopes to accomplish must be by his own acts and his responsibility to the world at large he will succeed. When he moves upward he will succeed, perhaps slowly; but whether he succeeds or not it is out of this class that the types are taken."

"I don't ask you what rule you follow, but when a man understands the fundamental principle of Christianity, man's brotherhood to man, I'll take chances on what is going to happen to him in the future."



CHANGES IN A. A. CONSTITUTION.

On Thursday noon, April 11, a special meeting of the executive committee of the Athletic Association was held. It was voted to ratify the amendment proposed to the constitution of the Maine Intercollegiate Athletic Association, which provides that at the direction of the president and secretary of the board of arbitration, the place of meeting can be

changed to any convenient Maine city instead of some college town as formerly provided. This was ratified by the executive committee, and adopted by the Athletic Association at a meeting Friday morning.

At the same time the following changes were made in the constitution of the A. A. of the University, regarding the awarding and wearing of the "M."

Article VI, sections 4, 5 and 6, have been changed to read:

Sec. 4. In football, for playing two entire games in the regular Maine intercollegiate series or four halves, or any part thereof, it being understood that a player beginning the game and being taken out for injuries shall receive credit for a full game.

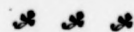
Sec. 5. In baseball, those playing three entire college games in the regular Maine intercollegiate series; except the pitcher, who shall pitch two entire games, or at least sixteen innings, it being understood that any player being taken out of the game for injuries shall receive credit for a full game.

Sec. 6. In track athletics, to those men winning a point or fraction thereof at the N. E. A. A. meet, to those winning a first or second place, or more than one-third place at the M. I. A. A., to those winning first places in dual meets, to those breaking college records, and to members of winning relay teams, contesting with other colleges.

Sec. 11 has been changed to read: To men competing on 'varsity track or relay teams in intercollegiate contests, a "T. M. T." shall be awarded, to be worn on the running jersey only.

Sec. 13 is changed to read: The football sweater shall be navy blue with white letter or numerals; basketball, baseball, track and tennis sweaters to be pure white with navy blue letter or numerals. Track suits shall consist of white cotton pants, with navy blue stripe down outside of seam, shirt to be white woolen with navy blue letter or numeral.

Sec. 16 now reads: No unauthorized class numerals or other unauthorized emblems shall be worn on any 'varsity sweater or jersey.



President Chase of Bates is at Johns Hopkins Institution, where he was obliged to undergo an operation. His friends have good reports as to his condition.

THE MAINE COLLEGE GAMES.

Below is the full All-Maine college baseball schedule for 1907. Each of the four colleges has a good list of games to play and each feels confident of having a strong nine. Each college has two games with each of the other three, and several exhibition games are also scheduled.

Following is the schedule:

April 17—Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Brunswick.
 April 17—Colby vs. Coburn at Waterville.
 April 17—Bates vs. Exeter at Exeter.
 April 19—Bowdoin vs. Portland at Portland.
 April 19—Colby vs. Maine at Waterville. (Exhibition game.)
 April 20—Bowdoin vs. Bates at Brunswick.
 April 20—Maine vs. Ricker at Orono.
 April 21—Bates vs. Andover at Andover.
 April 22—Bowdoin vs. Mercersburg Academy at Brunswick.
 April 23—Bates vs. Tufts at Medford, Mass.
 April 24—Bates vs. Harvard at Cambridge.
 April 27—Bates vs. Kent's Hill at Lewiston.
 April 27—Maine vs. Exeter at Exeter.
 April 27—Colby vs. Tufts at Medford, Mass.
 April 29—Maine vs. Harvard at Cambridge.
 April 30—Colby vs. Dartmouth at Hanover, N. H.
 April 30—Colby vs. University of Vermont at Burlington, Vt.
 May 1—Colby vs. University of Vermont at Burlington, Vt.
 May 1—Maine vs. Brown at Providence.
 May 1—Bates vs. Fort Preble at Portland.
 May 1—Bowdoin vs. Dartmouth at Hanover, N. H.
 May 2—Maine vs. Wesleyan at Middletown, Conn.
 May 4—Bates vs. Bowdoin at Brunswick.
 May 8—Bates vs. Bowdoin at Waterville.
 May 8—Colby vs. Maine at Orono.
 May 11—Maine vs. Bowdoin at Brunswick.
 May 11—Bates vs. Lewiston at Lewiston.
 May 15—Bates vs. Amherst at Amherst.
 May 15—Bowdoin vs. Wesleyan at Middletown, Conn.
 May 15—Colby vs. Maine at Waterville.
 May 16—Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Medford, Mass.
 May 17—Bates vs. Harvard College at Cambridge.
 May 18—Bates vs. Sanford at Sanford.
 May 18—M. I. A. A. meet at Waterville.
 May 21—Bates vs. Tufts at Lewiston.
 May 22—Bates vs. Lewiston at South End Grounds, Lewiston.
 May 22—Bowdoin vs. Maine at Orono.
 May 22—Colby vs. Tufts at Waterville.
 May 23—Maine vs. Tufts at Orono.
 May 25—Colby vs. Maine at Orono.
 May 25—Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston. (Exhibition game).
 May 30—Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston.
 June 1—Colby vs. Bowdoin at Brunswick.
 June 1—Maine vs. Bates at Lewiston.
 June 5—Colby vs. Bates at Lewiston.
 June 7—Colby vs. Bowdoin at Brunswick. (Exhibition game).
 June 8—Colby vs. Bates at Waterville.
 June 12—Bowdoin vs. Harvard at Cambridge.

COLBY WINS.

The baseball season for both the Colby and University of Maine baseball teams opened April 19, with an exhibition game on the Colby diamond, which was in excellent condition considering the time of year. There was a big crowd in attendance and good plays on both sides were liberally applauded. Colby won by a score of 6 to 0. The game was interesting, although hardly up to the pace to be expected later in the season.

It was the first time the U. of M. team had been "on the dirt" this season, having been working for a number of months in the cage and as might be expected was hardly up to the pitch of the home team. However, considering all the conditions, Maine's supporters are much encouraged by the showing made today and believe that the team will not grip the tail end without a desperate struggle.

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CALENDAR.

TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1907.

- 10.00 A. M. Track Team practice, Gymnasium.
- 12.45 P. M. Glee Club rehearsal, Alumni Hall.
- 1.30 P. M. Tennis Team practice, Gymnasium.
- 2.30 P. M. Track Team practice, Gymnasium.
- 3.00 P. M. Baseball practice, Alumni Field.
- 4.30 P. M. Mandolin Club rehearsal, Alumni Hall.
- 7.30 P. M. Band rehearsal, Chapel.
- 7.30 P. M. Literati, Library Building.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24.

- 10.00 A. M. Track Team practice, Gymnasium.
- 1.30 P. M. Tennis Team practice, University Court.
- 2.30 P. M. Track Team practice, University Court.
- 3.00 P. M. Baseball practice, Alumni Field.
- 6.45 P. M. Y. M. C. A., Library Building.
- 7.00 P. M. Glee Club rehearsal, Alumni Hall.
- 7.30 P. M. Agricultural Club, Holmes Hall.

THURSDAY, APRIL 25.

- 10.00 A. M. Track Team practice, Alumni Field.
- 1.30 P. M. Tennis Team practice, University Court.
- 2.30 P. M. Track Team practice, Alumni Field.
- 3.00 P. M. Baseball practice, Alumni Field.
- 4.00 P. M. Chemical Club Meeting, Fernald Hall.
- 4.30 P. M. Band rehearsal, Chapel.
- 7.00 P. M. Dramatic Club rehearsal Coburn Hall.
- 7.30 P. M. Debating Club Meeting, Library Building.

FRIDAY, APRIL 26.

- 10.00 A. M. Track Team practice, Alumni Field.
- 1.30 P. M. Tennis team practice University Court.
- 2.30 P. M. Track team practice, Alumni Field.
- 3.00 P. M. Baseball practice, Alumni Field.
- 3.00 P. M. Dramatic Club rehearsal, Coburn Hall.

SATURDAY, APRIL 27.

- 9.00 A. M. Press Club meeting Library Building.
- 9.30 A. M. Dramatic Club rehearsal Coburn Hall.
- 10.00 A. M. Track practice Alumni Field.
- 10.00 A. M. Baseball practice, Alumni Field.

SUNDAY, APRIL 28.

- 3.30 P. M. Y. M. C. A. Library Building.

MONDAY, APRIL 29.

- 10.00 A. M. Track Team Practice Alumni Field.
- 1.30 P. M. Tennis Team practice University Court.
- 2.30 P. M. Track Team practice Alumni Field.
- 3.00 P. M. Baseball practice Alumni Field.



SENIOR CLASS MEETING.

At a well attended meeting of the Senior Class, several matters relative to Commencement were considered. After a long discussion, a vote was passed by a large majority of the class to hold the Commencement concert and ball in Bangor, thus bringing a part of the exercises nearer the university Law School. •

A committee was appointed to submit plans for a "senior fence," the idea being for the Senior Class to erect a fence near Alumni Hall.

NEW TRUSTEE.

The place of Mr. A. J. Durgan, whose term on the board of trustees of the University of Maine has just expired, has been filled by the appointment of Hon. Samuel W. Gould of Skowhegan. Mr. Gould is a graduate of this University, taking his degree here with the class of 1877. Since 1880 Mr. Gould has lived in Skowhegan, where he has been very successful as a lawyer. During this time he has been prominent not only in local, but in state affairs as well, being democratic candidate for governor in 1902. From 1891 to 1900 he held the office of postmaster of Skowhegan. He has also held the position of president of the board of trade in that town, as well as being prominent in other ways. The many friends of the University feel that a wise selection has been made, and that Mr. Gould will prove fully as capable as Mr. Durgin has been during his term on this board.



Y. W. C. A.

Miss Edith M. Wells, student secretary of the Y. W. C. A, secretary for New England, was in Orono April 10 to 12. While she was here a Y. W. C. A. was organized with the following officers, president, Margaret Merrill '08, vice president, Edna C. Worth '09, recording secretary, Louise Hall '10, inter-collegiate secretary, Sarah E. Brown '08, treasurer, Francis W. Huntington '10.



At a meeting held Thursday night, of the men in Bowdoin college who were on the track team last year, Dwight S. Robinson, '07, of Brunswick, was elected captain of the 'varsity track team to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Philip R. Shorey, '07, who will be out of college most of the term in the employ of the Eastern Steamship company.

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The Amherst College faculty committee voted not to permit Amherst to play baseball with Brown this spring. The football game for next year will also be forbidden. The committee desires to eliminate the commercial side from college contests

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